

### Buddhist Matrons Install Officers At Recent Dinner

The Gardena Buddhist Jr. Matrons had an impressive installation ceremony and dinner for newly elected officers at Raymond's in Inglewood with Rev. Z. Kawasaki officiating.

Outgoing president Mrs. Rushi Shimura presented the gavel to Mrs. Kay Shiguma. Other members of the new cabinet are as follows:

First vice-president, Mrs. Yoshiko Miwa; second vice-president, Mrs. Ruby Iizuka; third vice-president, Mrs. Haru Haru; recording secretary, Mrs. Sally Nakata; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Chiyoko Sugita; treasurer, Mrs. Yuri Takeyama; publicity-historian, Mrs. Susie Fukuzaki.

Gifts were presented to the outgoing cabinet. Mistress of ceremonies for the evening was Mrs. Gladys Ikejiri. Social chairman was Mrs. Joyce Mitamura with Mrs. Rose Kita, Mrs. Kik Isobe, and Mrs. Aki Maeda, assisting. Mrs. Yoshiko Kita was reservation chairman.

Games were enjoyed by the members and their husbands and door prizes were awarded. Mrs. Kiku Fukuwa, a new member, was introduced at this time.

### Christian Warfare Discussed by Christ-Scientists

Christian warfare, in which spiritual good overcomes the evil in human thinking, is a theme of the Lesson-Sermon to be heard Sunday at all Christian Science church services.

The title of the sermon is the question "Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" The Golden Text from Deuteronomy (4:39) counsels, "Know therefore this day, and consider it in thine heart, that the Lord he is God in heaven above, and upon the earth beneath: there is none else."

Scriptural selections will include Paul's exhortation: "The night is far spent; the day is at hand; let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light. Let us walk honestly, . . . not in strife and envying. But put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to fulfil the lusts thereof" (Rom. 13:12-14).

Mary Baker Eddy admonishes in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," "Christians must take up arms against error at home and abroad. They must grapple with sin in themselves and in others, and continue this warfare until they have finished their course. If they keep the faith, they will have the crown of rejoicing."

### Brethren Church Presents Easter Cantata Sunday

The Easter Cantata, "No Greater Love" by John W. Peterson, with scripture narration, will be presented by the choir of Central Evangelical United Brethren Church at the 11 a.m. Palm Sunday service.

Rev. Walter M. Stanton, pastor of the church, will read the scripture taken from the gospels of John and Matthew.

Soloists will include sopranos Winifred Ruppell, Judy Moore, Jo Ann Huber, Irene Hoy; contralto Charlie McNeese; tenors Carl Pisel, Stanley Stanton; and basso Glenn W. Briney.

Choir will be under the direction of Mrs. Irene Hoy, with Mrs. Hilda Findley, organist.

Preceding the service, "Meditation at the Cross," organ and piano duet will be played with Miss Barbara Stanton, pianist and Mrs. Tilda Findley, organist.

Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m., Rev. John Duvaul of Pomona will bring the message, "Christ Jesus the Lord—Complete in Him." This will bring to a conclusion five pre-Easter evening services at Central Church.

### RUMMAGE SALE

Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Christian Assembly in Lomita are holding a rummage sale at the church, 2421 Narbonne Ave., Lomita on Friday, April 13 from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. and on Saturday, April 14 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

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**DISNEY AIDS DRIVE** — Torrance chapter of the United Cerebral Palsy Association will be holding their annual May drive for funds, part of which will be called "Fifty-three Minute March." Elected county chairman for the drive is Walt Disney, who is shown

above with area poster boy, six-year-old Donnie Spray, a graduate of a UCP training school. Recruits for the fund-raising project are now being signed up in most parts of the city by volunteers.

### Dr. Cecil D. Hardesty Outlines Key Platform

Dr. Cecil D. Hardesty, superintendent of San Diego County schools, last Wednesday outlined firmly the key planks of his platform in his drive seeking election as State Superintendent of Public Instruction at the June primary as he addressed members of the Torrance School Board and guests at a meeting held in the Torrance High School auditorium.

"We must give high priority to the teaching of American values and traditions, and the development of our free enterprise economy," Dr. Hardesty underlined as he stressed also "the need for teaching facts about Communism during the high school years."

**NON-ESSENTIALS**  
"I favor the removing of non-essentials from the curriculum, and the allotment of additional time to reading, arithmetic, spelling, English and science," the veteran administrator declared. "I would wage a relentless drive to improve the quality

of classroom instruction, at the same time strive to improve teacher preparation."

Other pledges made by Dr. Hardesty included:

To give honest support to the principle of local control, and to encourage local initiative; to secure the best text books available for California schools; to support a sound tax program giving relief to local property owners; to support a school program broad enough to meet the needs of all students, and aimed to challenge each to the maximum of his potential.

Dr. Hardesty, whose career as a superintendent in California spans three decades at all education levels, carries the endorsement of the California Association of School Administrators, educational groups, parent-teacher organizations, business, civic and veterans' leaders.

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### Local Jehovah's Witness Minister Is Appointed to Attend Assembly

Leonard E. Olliff, the presiding minister of the Torrance Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses has been appointed to take part in the program of the semi-annual circuit assembly being held in the Longshoreman's Memorial Hall, C and Fries St., in Wilmington on April 27-29.

Olliff resides at 22605 So. Marine Ave., Wilmington and has lived in this vicinity for over three years. Originally from Texas, he has been active as a minister of Jehovah's Witnesses since 1937.

His wife, Georgia, and many families from the Torrance area will be in attendance as he presents his portion of the Sunday morning program. Said Olliff, "Participating together in all activities brings about wholesome family contentment, peace and progress toward life goals."

"In the families of Jehovah's Witnesses we work, worship, study, play and do things together. The great Creative Sociologist knew what he was doing when he

formed the family unit and family attendance together at this assembly to learn more of His purpose is in harmony with His revealed will."

Climaxing the three day Bible seminar will be the public discourse at 3 p.m. on Sunday by Theodore Jaracz, the district supervisor for Jehovah's Witnesses entitled, "Who Will Rule The World?"

Art Fowler, "The Hummer" of Los Angeles Angels pitching staff, will reach a milestone this season. The Angels' ace relief pitcher needs one to win to up his career record to an even 50 all.

### Fund-Raising UCP Drive In Torrance Next Month

Mrs. Daniel M. Brown, 25921 Matfield Dr., Torrance, has announced that Walt Disney will be county chairman for United Cerebral Palsy Association's May drive.

Mrs. Brown, a member of the Board of Governors of UCP, said Disney has been interested in helping the cerebral palsied since he narrated a special film for UCP in 1956.

Disney was described today as a busy and creative person who still takes time to entertain cerebral palsied children at his studios.

Commenting on his appointment, Disney said, "The whole world loves children. It is a great privilege to help boys and girls for whom science offers new hope in training and rehabilitation."

Volunteers, he said, will be the key to success in the drive for \$300,000 now being organized.

**SURVEYS**  
"Our UCP surveys show that the public wants to help with funds to train the cere-

bral palsied toward useful lives in their communities. All we need now is enough volunteers to make the fund-raising calls."

Disney said about one of every 250 people is cerebral palsied and every 53 minutes another cerebral palsied child is born. The door-to-door phase of the drive, he explained, will be called the 53-Minute March. Recruits are being signed up by volunteers in most parts of the county and at UCP headquarters, DU 5-2444.

The Los Angeles County affiliate of UCP has had national acclaim for its lead role in providing workshop for training the cerebral palsied. UCP development centers and pre-school nurseries are located within reach of virtually every family, according to Disney.

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